

FOR YOUR INFORMATION...



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City of Taylorsville
Information Form

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Community Resources & Services

"For it is not buildings that make a city, but citizens, and a citizen is not just he who lives in a city, but one who helps it to function as a city." - Louis L'Amour, The Lonesome Gods

Overview:

The City of Taylorsville strives to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its residents. The following is a list of resources and programs that are intended to assist residents and businesses accomplish these vital community objectives. Although the City may have established partnerships with a number of the following agencies, additional fees may still apply.

Sanitation Services:

Sanitation services are a critical partner in public health and property maintenance. Salt Lake County Sanitation, Special District No. 1, provides refuse collection services to the residents of Taylorsville. Offices are located in the Salt Lake County Public Works Complex at 7125 South 600 West, Midvale, Utah. For additional information on the following services please call (801) 562-6435. Voice mail is available 24 hours a day.

Automated Trash Containers. Refuse is collected on all holidays except Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. If any of these holidays fall on your scheduled collection day the refuse will be collected the following day including Saturday collection.

Recycling Program. A voluntary recycling program is available to Taylorsville residents. A blue 95-gallon automated container is provided for residents to dispose of cardboard, paper, plastic, aluminum, and tin. The container is emptied every other week on the regularly scheduled refuse collection day. The monthly service fee is \$11.00 per container with a minimum 6-month commitment. The homeowner is required to prepay the first 6 month fee of \$90.00. For more information on recycling in the City of Taylorsville, please visit the internet at www.recycle.slco.org/city/Taylorsville.html or call (801) 562-6435.

Voucher Program. Twice a year (April and October) free landfill vouchers are made available for Taylorsville Residents at Taylorsville City Hall located at 2600 W Taylorsville Blvd (5325 S). For more information please call (801) 963-5400.

Trailer Program. The trailer program aids in the disposal of items that are too large for the regular weekly collection service. Homeowners may request use of a trailer to dispose of green or bulk waste. A \$20 fee is assessed if the trailer is used for green material (branches, leaves, yard debris). If used for bulk waste (mattresses, furniture, household garbage, etc.) a delivery fee of \$30 plus the landfill tipping fee of \$23 per ton is charged. The homeowner is required to sign either a green waste trailer agreement form or a bulk waste trailer agreement form and prepay the delivery fee before the trailer is scheduled. The trailer agreement form may be signed at the Salt Lake County Sanitation office, mailed to the resident, or downloaded to print and be returned with payment. Call (801) 562-6435 for more information.

Annual Area Cleanup Program. Each year easy to load containers (dumpsters) are placed curbside in neighborhoods throughout the City for residents to dispose of excess refuse. Each container is left for approximately 24 hours. Residents are notified by postcard about 2 weeks before the scheduled delivery date. There is no additional charge to the homeowner for this service.

Fall Leaf Bag Program. Each fall season leaf bags are supplied to residents at no cost and are made available at Taylorsville City Hall located at 2600 W Taylorsville Blvd (5325 S). Collection sites for disposal of the bags are located at various locations throughout Salt Lake County and are identified on the leaf bags. Leaves are taken to the Salt Lake County Landfill for use in the composting program.

Christmas Tree Program. Each December and January Christmas trees may be placed *curbside* for disposal by the Salt Lake County Sanitation Department. The trees are used by the Salt Lake County Landfill for use in the composting program.

Special Assistance Program. Any resident with special needs may request assistance with their weekly trash collection at no additional charge. If needed the driver will take the container to the curb and return it after it is dumped.

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Hazardous Waste Removal:

Many people have potentially dangerous chemicals stored on their property. Hazardous materials such as pesticides, yard-care chemicals, old fuel, leftover paint, oil and antifreeze are not to be put in toilets, trash cans, dumpsters, or storm drains. Questions regarding hazardous waste or moving materials to hazardous waste sites should be directed to the Salt Lake Valley Health Department at (801) 313-6745. The following list represents a few of the approved waste disposal sites located along the Wasatch Front:

- Batteries, oil, solid waste, pesticides, antifreeze, yard-care chemicals, paints, and basically anything but radioactive material or explosives can be disposed at:

Salt Lake Valley Solid Waste Facility 6030 W 1300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah Phone: (801) 974-6920 Hours: Monday – Saturday 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM	TransJordan Landfill 10873 S 7200 West, South Jordan, Utah Phone: (801) 569-8994 Hours: Monday – Saturday 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM
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- **Lowe's Home Improvement Warehouse** located at 469 W 4500 South in Murray accepts batteries as do most other Lowe's stores. Most places that sell car batteries will accept used batteries. Remember, car batteries have acid, so move batteries with care. Phone number is (801) 263-3441.
- **Tire Disposal and Recycling** located at 985 S. 800 West in Salt Lake City takes rimless tires for 50 cents each. Tires with rims are \$1.00 each. Phone number is (801) 977-9010.

Vehicle Donations:

The City of Taylorsville encourages residents to donate unwanted or inoperable "junk" vehicles to private non-profit agencies, which typically offer vehicle removal service free of charge to the vehicle owner. City Code defines a junk vehicle as, "any dismantled, wrecked or inoperable motor vehicle or parts thereof which are stored or parked on property outside of an enclosed building and which remain in such condition for a period of time in excess of 60 days."

Health Services:

Public health services are provided by the Salt Lake Valley Health Department. General information regarding programs and services are available by telephone at (801) 468-2750 or on the internet at <http://www.slvhealth.org/index.html>. For more specific information, please call the following divisions:

- Environmental Health (801) 313-6600
- Hazardous Waste (801) 313-6745
- Household Hazardous Waste (801) 313-6697

Housing Assistance:

ASSIST is a private non-profit agency located at 218 East 500 South, Salt Lake City, Utah that offers assistance with emergency household repairs for senior citizens, low income households, and in special cases tenants of rental units. For more information call (801) 355-7085.

HOME. The City of Taylorsville provides a limited amount of financial assistance with real estate down payments for first time home buyers. The HOME program is administered by the Community Development Corporation (CDC), which is a private non-profit company. For more information call (801) 994-7222.

Life Care is a private non-profit agency that provides assistance to lower income senior and elderly citizens with emergency household repairs or small rehabilitation projects. For more information call (801) 978-2452.

Salt Lake County Lead Safe Housing Program is intended to reduce lead poisoning by helping property owners improve the condition of their homes and rental units. If a residence was built before 1978, children are present and there is lead based paint, a grant may be available to cover the cost of projects to control lead based paint hazards. For more information call (801) 534-4558.

Animal Services:

The City of Taylorsville contracts with West Valley City Animal Services (4063 South 7200 West, WVC, Utah 84044) for the enforcement of animal regulations and pet licensing. For questions or concerns with animal regulations, enforcement, and pet licensing please call (801) 965-5800 or 840-4000 after hours. Additional information is available on the internet at www.wvc-ut.gov/index.asp?NID=17.

Other Resources:

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| Taylorsville Building Division (building permit, building inspections) | (801) 955-2030 |
| Taylorsville City Engineer (repair of public sidewalk, curb, gutter, street sign, or roadway) | (801) 963-5400 |
| Taylorsville Community Development Department (nuisance complaint, zoning regulations) | (801) 963-5400 |
| Taylorsville Police Department (dispatch) | (801) 955-3100 |
| Unified Fire Authority (fire safety regulations and inspections) | (801) 743-7232 |

Special Needs?

For residents with special needs the Taylorsville Community Development Dept maintains a data base of community service groups (Boy Scouts, ecclesiastical leaders, service organizations, etc.) who may be able to provide assistance. For more information please contact the Community Development Dept. at (801) 963-5400.

Questions?

For additional assistance regarding information contained within this form, please call the Taylorsville Community Development Department at (801) 963-5400.